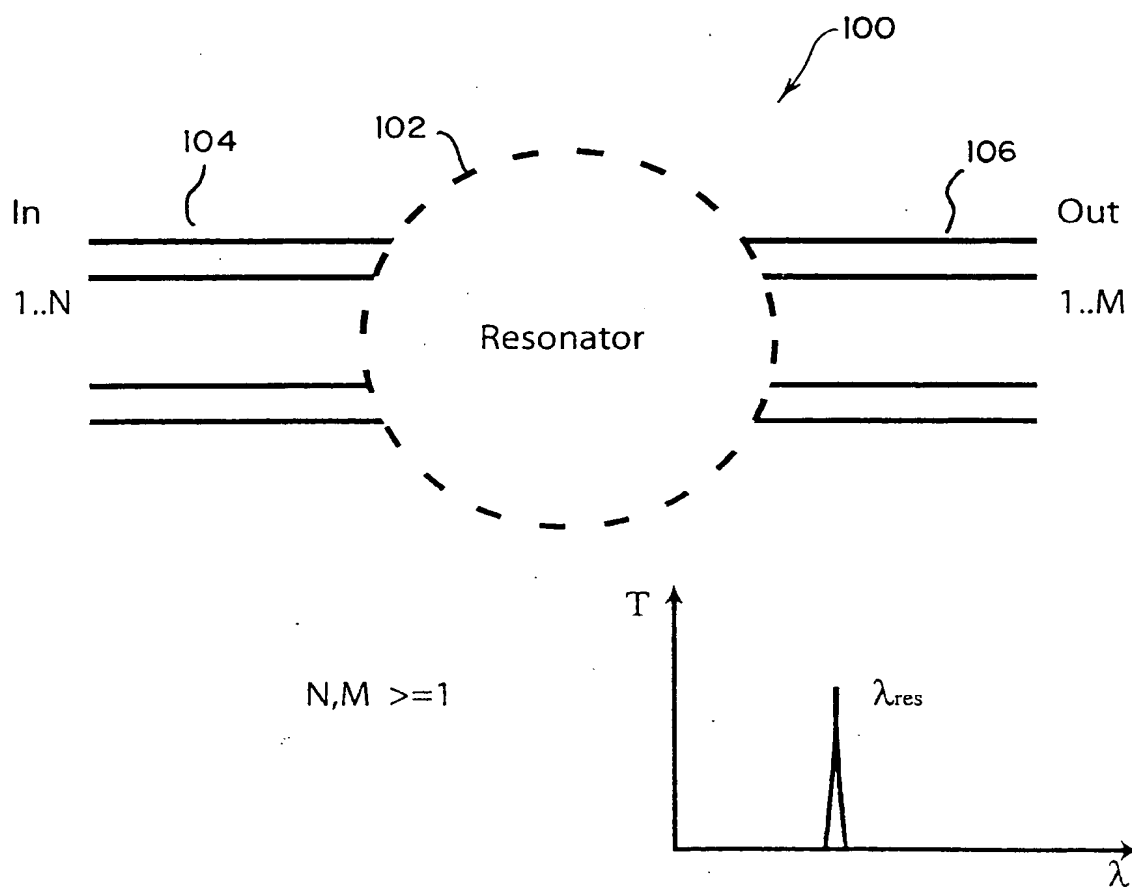


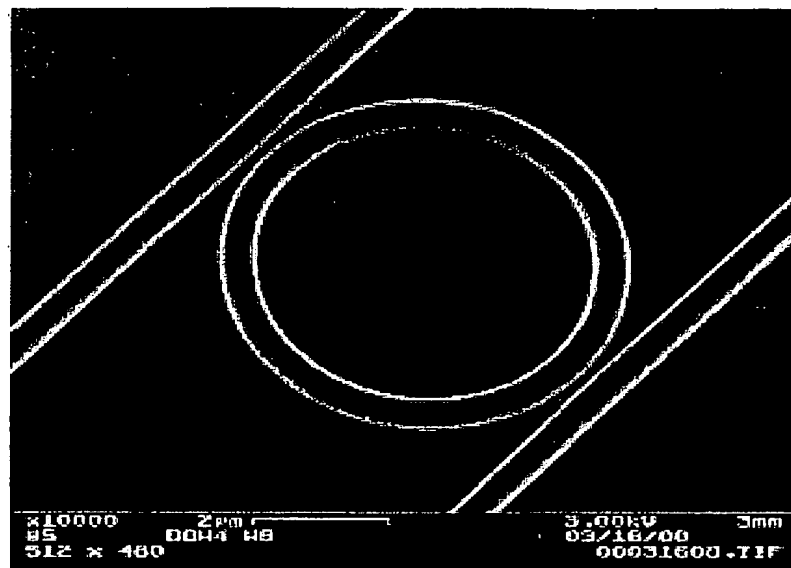


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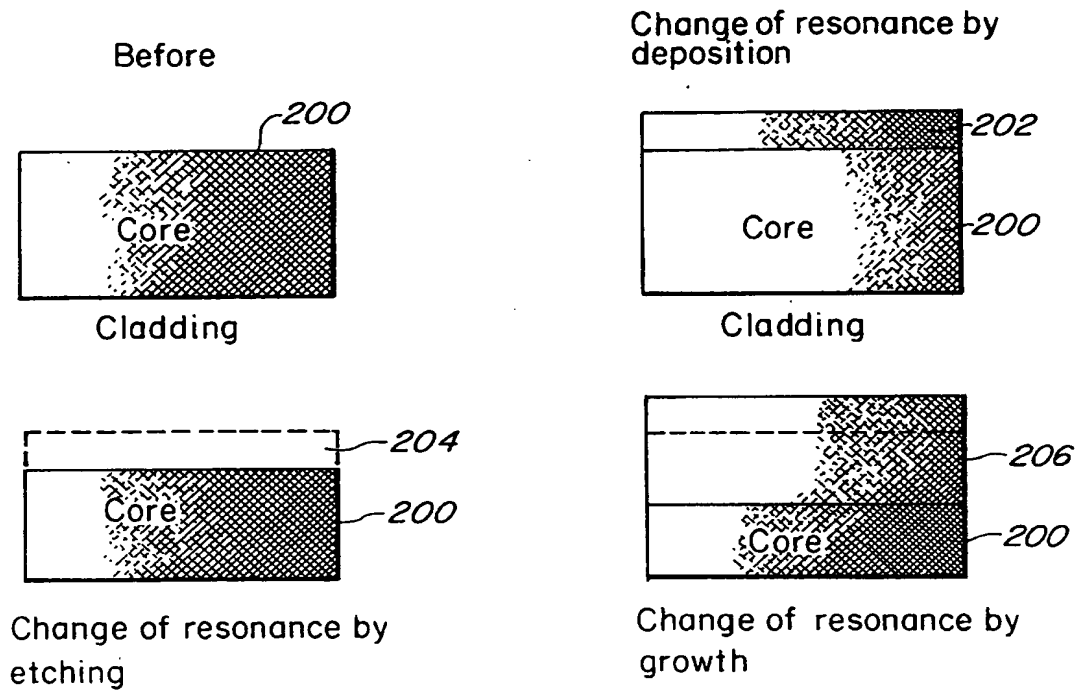


**FIG. 1A**

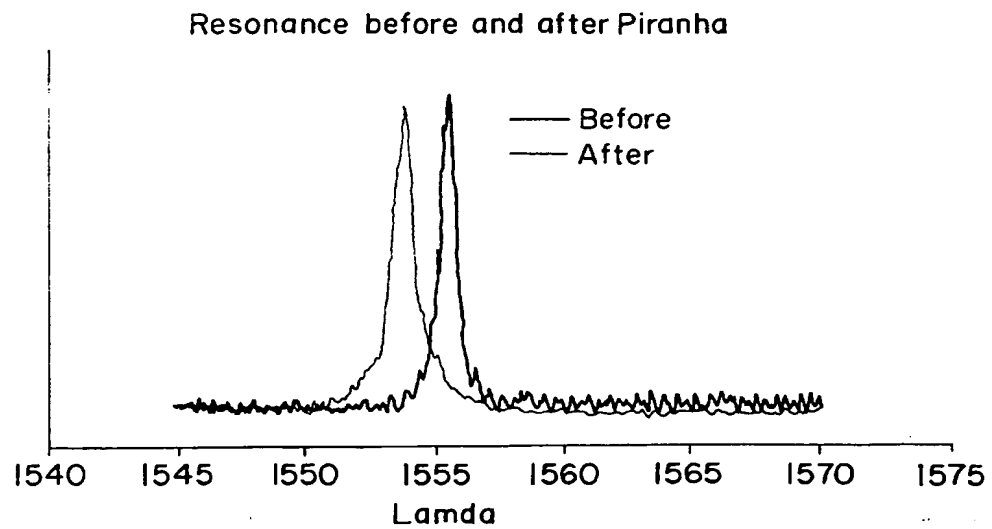
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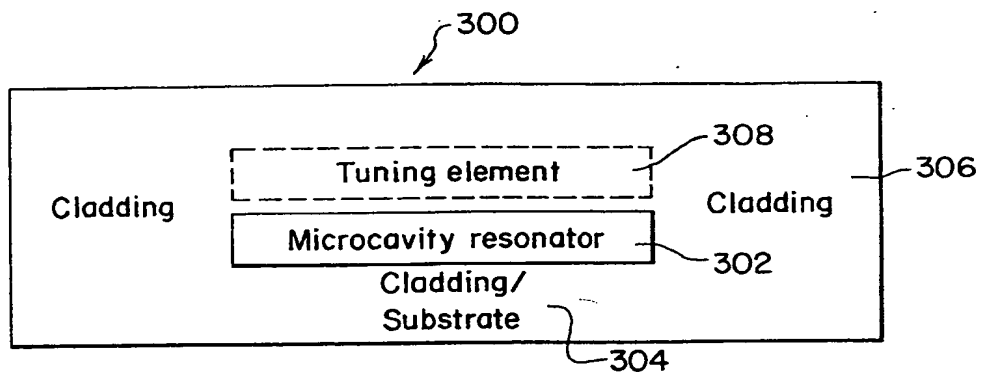
*FIG. 1B*



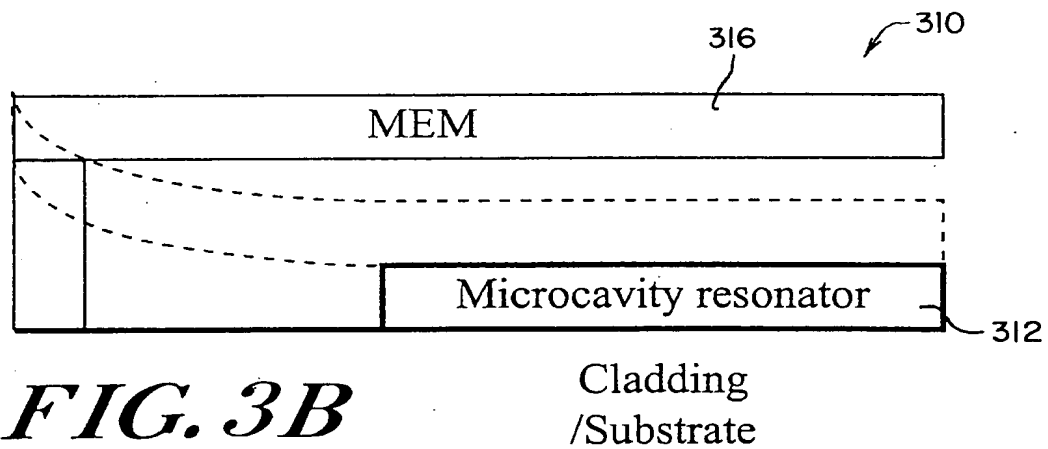
**FIG. 2A**



**FIG. 2B**

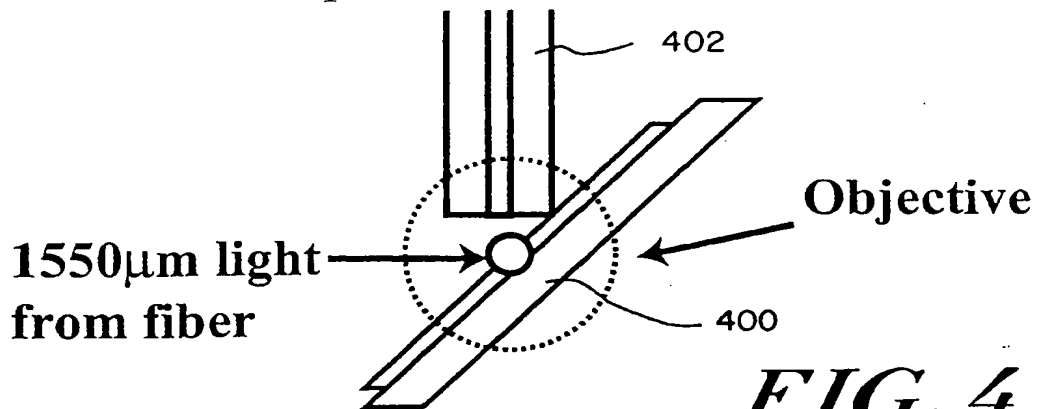


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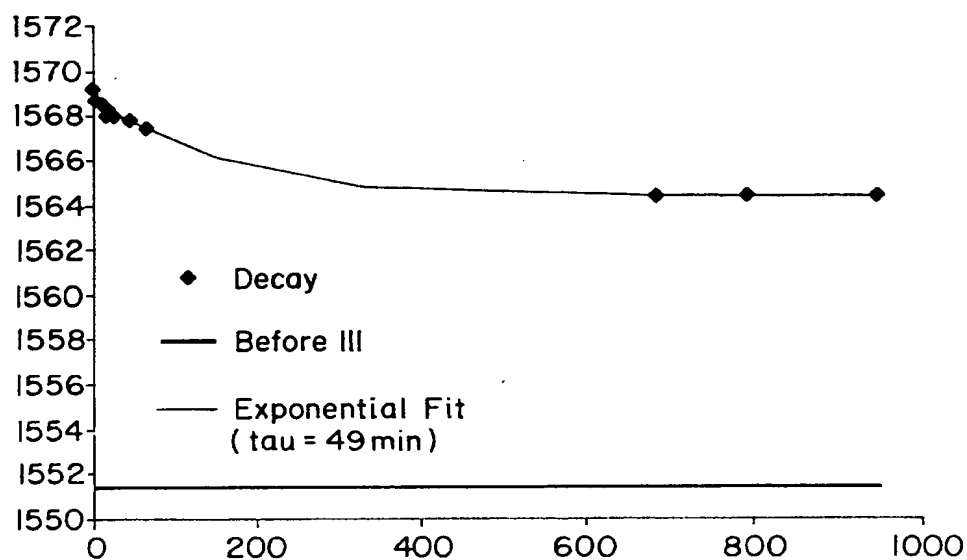
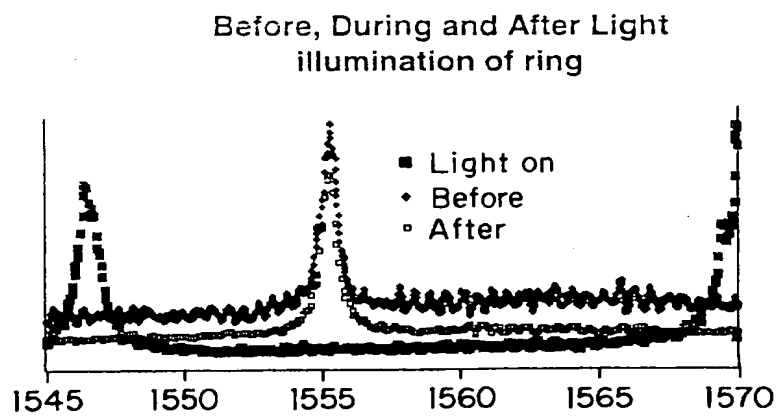


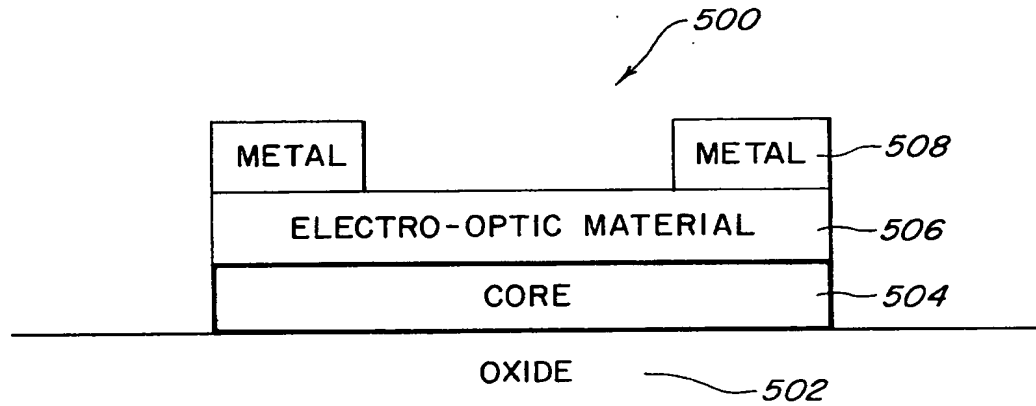
**FIG. 3B**

1W 850 nm optical illumination from fiber

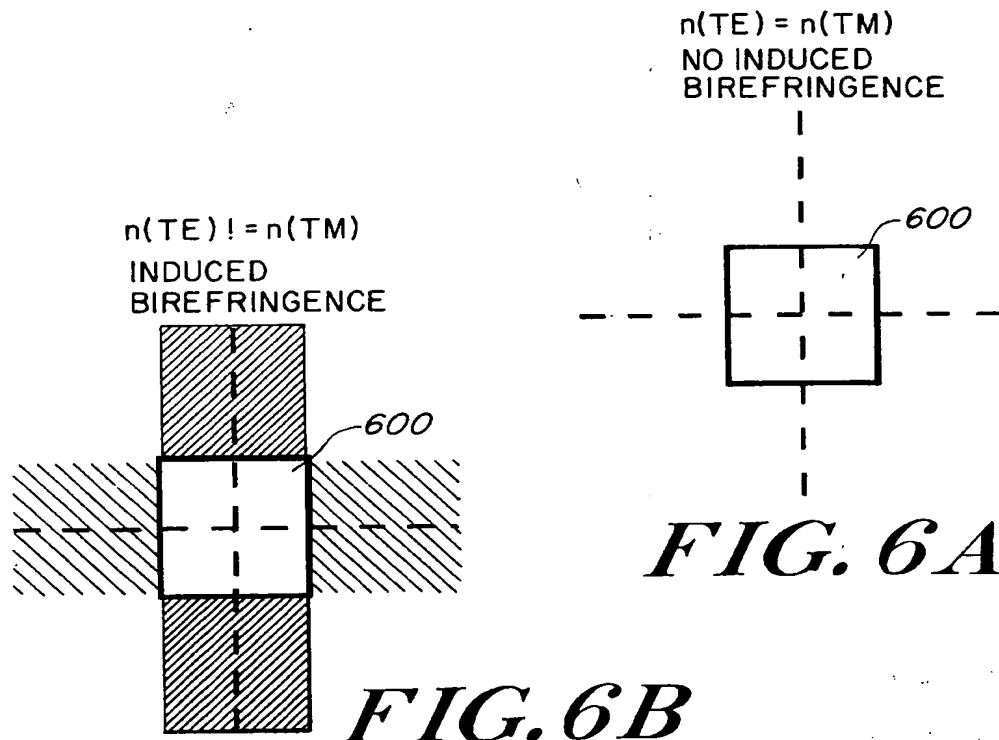


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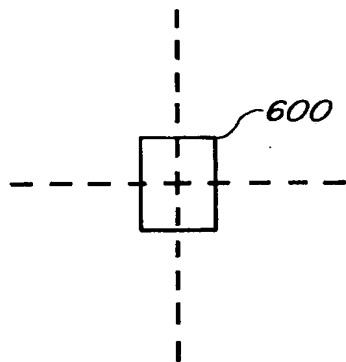
*FIG. 4B**FIG. 4C*



**FIG. 5**

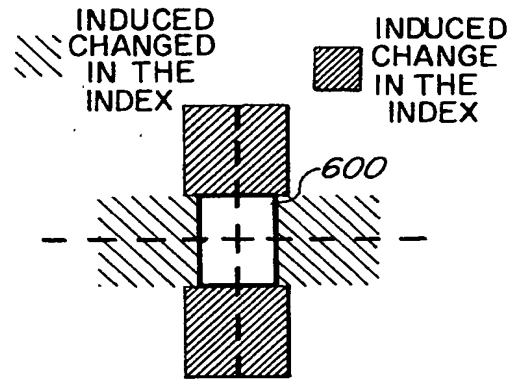


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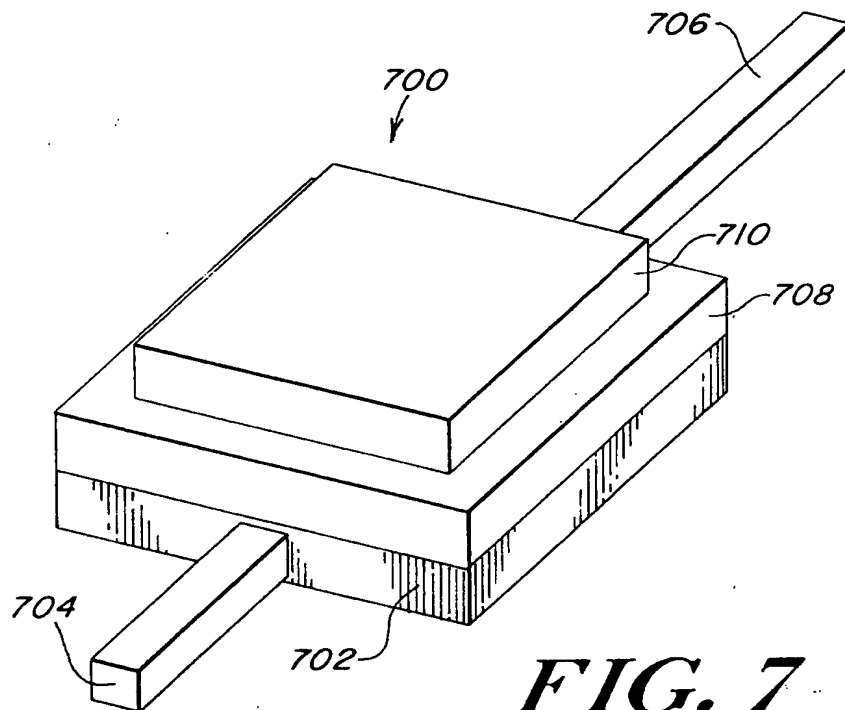
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**FIG. 6C**

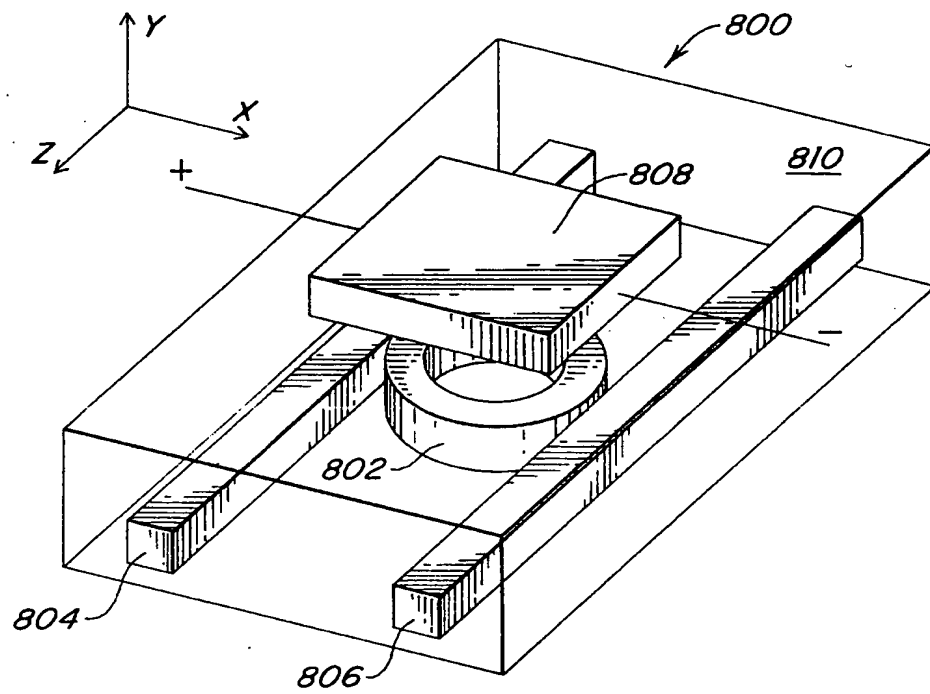


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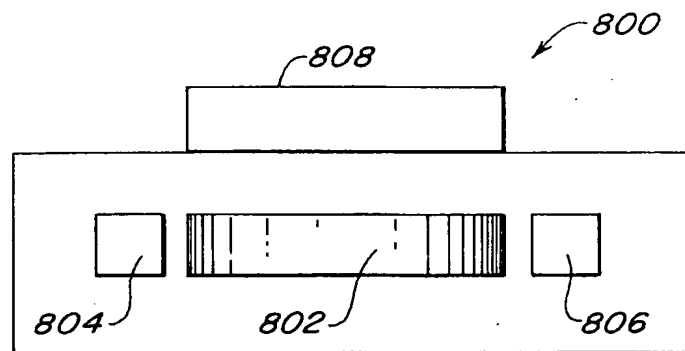
**FIG. 6D**



**FIG. 7**



**FIG. 8**



**FIG. 9**



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